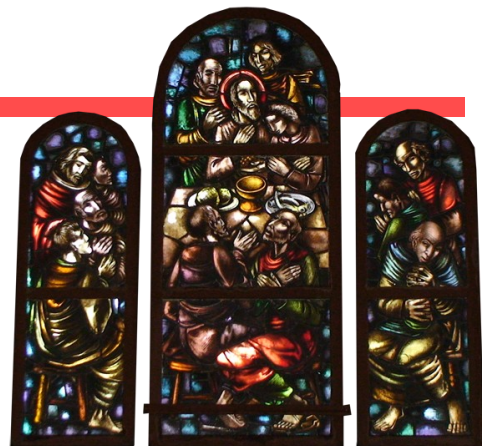




# The Journey

St. Mary of Mo'ili'ili

An Online Monthly Pictorial News Record



February/March 2016

## Chapel has New Paint - New Door - Stained Pews

### Let us this day

- \* Read the Bible
- \* Thank the Korean Church
- \* Call the Unforgiving Family Member
- \* Commit To Live A Healthy Life
- \* Plan to bring a guest to Service on Easter
- \* Pray For Forgiveness

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Come! Let us  
Worship The Lord

March 20, 2016

**PALM**

**SUNDAY**

9:00 am—Eucharist

March 24, 2016

**MAUNDY**

**THURSDAY**

6:00 pm—Agape Meal

March 25, 2016

**GOOD**

**FRIDAY**

12:00 noon—Worship

March 27, 2016

**EASTER**

**SUNDAY**

9:00am—Eucharist

Easter Brunch &

Easter Egg Hunt

Above Photo by:  
Tatjana Johnson



## A Friend of St. Mary is Honored

By Father Gregory Johnson



Fr. Dale Burke is third from left

Photo provided by Father Gregory Johnson

The NCAA awarded Fr. **Dale Burke Faculty Mentor of the Year** for his outstanding commitment to the physical, moral, and spiritual well-being of student-athletes at Hawaii Pacific University. As a volleyball player at HPU put it, "His

praises are often sung around campus, but he is never the one singing them. A truly humble and respectable man, Chaplain Burke greatly deserves this honor." Fr. Burke has also promoted community involvement among his student-athletes, including Special Olympics, where he has coached basketball, swimming, soccer, and bowling for 25 years. Congratulations Fr. Dale!

## Mother Teresa Leaving Hawaii - Is Honored

By Father David Blanchett



Leaving to reside on the mainland, **The Reverend Teresa Thomas Bowden** will truly be missed at St. Mary of Mo'ili'ili. She was a blessing, a gift from God whose presence we felt and enjoyed during Sunday worship.



Mother Teresa - as she was called - began serving at St. Mary when Father Gregory Johnson was installed at St. Mary of Mo'ili'ili.

Photos by Christopher Date

## Reverend John A. Longo Memorial



The Rev. John a Longo III, a priest canonically resident with the diocese of Hawaii, died on February 1, 2016.

Rev. Longo was a graduate of Trinity Episcopal school for ministry in Ambridge, Pennsylvania. He was installed as Rector of St. Mary's, Honolulu in June 1995.

He left his position as rector of St Mary during June 1999 - at which time Rev. Longo and his wife Barbara went to Oregon and eventually Tarpon Springs, Florida.

### Excerpt from the book: 100 years St. Mary's Episcopal Church 1902 –2002

"One of the first actions under Father Longo was to change the corporate name from The Church of St. Mary's back to St. Mary's Episcopal Church. St. Mary's had been without a priest for a full year until Father Longo arrived. He and his wife Barbara helped a lot to heal the demoralized congregation, giving it encouragement and strength to carry on."

"Our organist left us in 1996, and a newly hired one the following year also left. We were not successful in searching for an organist but this brought out talents among our members. Kay Okutani, Ann Townsend, Bill Sumida and William Mok took turns playing the organ and piano and Leland Lee spelled them by supplying music with his violin, giving the service a spritely uplift period."

"... under the direction of Barbara Longo various activities and lessons were made available to the teachers in children's ministry. Some special activities were bowling and taking part in Oahu Episcopal youth activities, and swim parties at the rectory."

## 2-7-16 Guest Speaker



Guest speaker **Patrick Zukemura** delivered the message to the St. Mary fellowship during Sunday worship on February 7th. Patrick is the President of F.A.C.E. Oahu.

F.A.C.E. stands for **Faith Action for Community Equity**.

To learn more about F.A.C.E. go to its web site: [www.facehawaii.org](http://www.facehawaii.org)

*Photo by Christopher Date*

## Favorite Graduate Student Visits

February 28th, Fr. Gregory was visibly excited during morning service. The reason was, his "favorite graduate student was visiting. **Jay Sakashita** was a teaching assistant for The Reverend Professor Gregory Johnson 28 years ago.

Pictured with Mr. Sakashita on right is Fr. Gregory's wife **Gwynn Johnson**.



*Photo by Father David Blanchett*

## Have You Seen The New Doors At

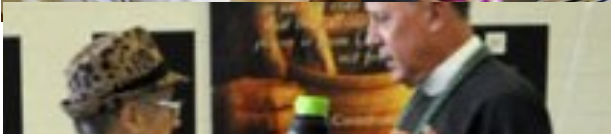
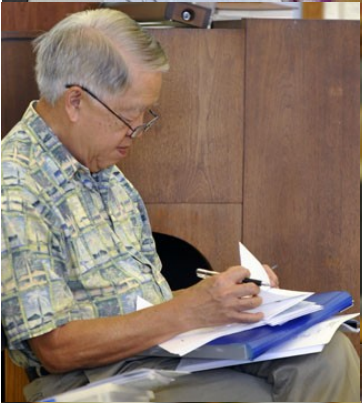
### Soldier Chapel?



*Photos by Father David Blanchett*



# Faces of the Annual Church Meeting



January 31, 2016

January 31, 2016

Photos by Father David Blanchett





Photos this page by Mr. Marcus Hadama, St. Mary's photographer's assistant



January  
31,  
2016





## New St Mary Photographer



Markus Hadama



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His  
Work  
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## Vestry Meeting with new members



## ESL Planning for Program at the Church



## Planning for the Future Event

**April 6, 2016, 5:30-7:00 pm in the Gathering Room**

One stop shop: Resource and Assistance

- Last will and testament
- Durable Power of Attorney
- General Power of Attorney
- Funeral information
- Trust Introduction
- Free Notary Public

Feel free to bring your own documents or make them there.

*Click Below For Online Documents:*

[Checklist of Responsibilities After Death](#)

[Funeral Information Sheet](#)

[Last Will & Testament—What You Should Know](#)

[Trust introduction](#)

## April 6th Events

5:30-7:00pm

**Planning for the Future**

In Gathering Room

**BISHOP'S VISIT**

7:00-7:30pm

**Evensong**

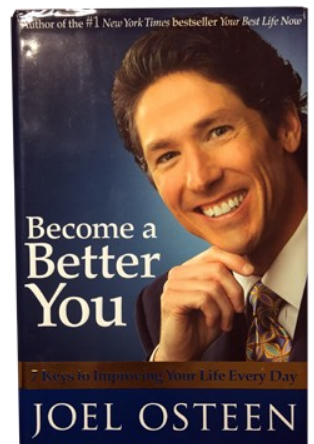
In Chapel

7:30-8:30 pm

**Light Supper**

In Gathering Room

## Book of the Month



Meet March 26, 10am

Conference room

## Korean Church Does Two Day Clean-up



kitchen.

They did a thorough cleaning of Soldier Chapel, to include: refinishing the pews, washing windows, cleaning hymnal and prayer books. They also painted the cabinets in the

Kamsahapnita! Kamsahapnita our sisters and brothers in Christ!

The Hawaii Vision Presbyterian Church is pastored by The Reverend Hyung J. Jeong and worships at Soldier Chapel. The Korean church is truly an ecumenical blessing!





# Valentine Day VOWS Renewal

*Photos by Markus Hadama*

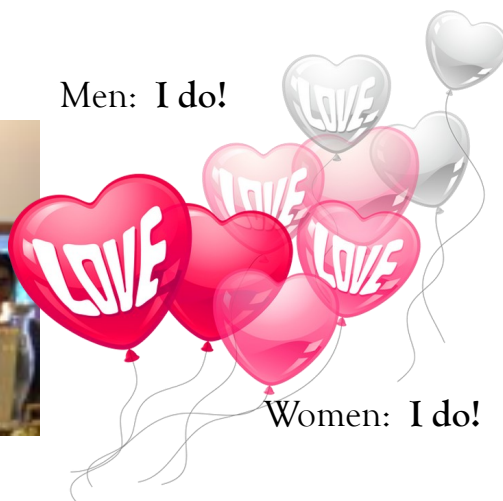
Celebrant: Look mercifully, O LORD, upon ALL who renew their vows today. Assist them with your Grace, that with true fidelity and steadfast love their lives may embody the spiritual and physical unity of Christ and his Church; both now and forevermore.

## February 14th

Celebrant: Do you here, in the presence of God and the community of St. Mary, renew the promises you made to love and cherish your partner above all others?



Men: I do!



Women: I do!

Men , Women and Congregation:

We Thank you, heavenly Father, for consecrating our relationships with your loving presence. Lead us now into ever deeper bonds of companionship; that we may enjoy the fruits of your kingdom with those we love; through Christ our Lord. Amen!

Renewal vows designed by Fr. Gregory Johnson





# Road Map



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## Sunday Worship Service 9:00am

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## Aloha Hour

Every Sunday 10:00am

Gathering Room

## Tri Church Ministries

Tri Church:

### BIBLE STUDY

Every Wednesday at 10:00am

at: St. Mary's Episcopal Church

Tri Church:

### LUCY QUILTING CIRCLE

Every Tuesday 9:30am - 2pm

at: St. Luke's Episcopal Church

## Exploring the Bible Midweek Community Study

Every Wednesday, 7:00pm

Beginning April

Soldier Chapel

## Free Health Classes

### Zumba Class

Saturdays 8:30am

Gathering Room

### Hula Ministry

Every Saturday

10:30-11:30am

Gathering Room

### Yoga Class

Every Tuesday

10:00am

Gathering Room

### Tai Chi Class

Every Sunday

8:00am-8:45am

Playground

## Vestry Meeting

Sunday

March 20th

10:15 AM

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## Mo'ili'ili Homeless Outreach Service

March 31st - 10am

In Gathering Room

Volunteers report at 9am

Gathering Room

## Book of the Month

Saturday March 26, 10am

Conference Room

"Become a Better You"

By Joel Osteen



## In Memoriam

February

3-Cheryl Geis

5-Clarence Miyamoto

13-Betty Nishikawa

March

27-Donald Chong

## February Birthdays March Birthdays

1-Roy Horimoto

11-Jan Horimoto

11-Geraldine Tom

12-Martha Blanchett

23-Joyce Edward

12-Chuck Williams

14-Bradley Padama

20-Kimery Ushijima